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Subj: 'Compelling Federal Interest' for a Writ of Certiorari to the Supreme

Court of the United

States of America concerning The MicroSoft Anti-Trust Case

cc:

The Securities and Exchange Commission

The European Union
The United States Senate

Attorneys' General,

The MicroSoft Corporation, and Bill Gates have been able to amass the great amount of wealth that they possess

as a result of widespread ignorance on the part of the judicial community, and the public to a great degree,

concerning computers, the internet, and technology. More specifically, as the Internet, and Commerce

conducted, with regard to its technological advancements remains a legal "no man's land" concerning

applicabililty of legal standards governing taxation, contracts, the public welfare, and anti-trust and

competition standards regarding the same commerce The Microsoft Corporation and Bill Gates are able to escape

legal scrutiny, indictments, and penalties, forfeitures, and damages.

The technology associated with the High-Tech Internet "MarketPlace", and the "Commerce" conducted therein is

relatively new. In fact, it has been proliferate for only the greater part of ten years now. Therefore, it

is understandable that the Legislative, Judicial, and Law Enforcement Infrastructure of the United States

Government, and the Fifty States of the United States of America have difficulty in comprehending or

delineating the implications of, or codifiying and prosecuting with facile intergrity and efficiency, criminal

and civil tort breeches, and commercial standards, and or proprietory and fair practices standards pertinent

to this new high-tech commercial market space.

Over the last year, I have done academic research, concerning how the Constitutional and Legal Protections,

Guarantees, Immunities, and Priveleges of the Bill of Rights, most specifically regarding political and speech

rights, apply on the internet. This being an estblished area of interest of mine, I would like to offer the

following metaphor, and thoughts, concerning the 'Microsoft Monopoly' over "High Tech Commerical Air Space"

and how it is detrimental to the general welfare of the public and the American People.

The Internet is a Super Highway. It represents a high-tech Super Highway of Commerce, Industry, and

Capitalism. Just as the Assembly Line was the 'life's blood' of the American Industrial Revolution, so to is

the Internet, the life's blood of the New Information Technology Economy of the 21st Century. However,

juxtaposing the two, the goods, services, and commodities produced by the Assembly Line were available to the American Consumer at a ubiquitious level to all of the American People who could afford them. This was due to

the self-regulation of industry and laissez-faire economics creating equitable supply

and demand structures in

the marketplace of the goods and services created by the assembly line.

Unfortunately, one of the negative effects of the 'Microsoft Monopoly', with regard to its Windows Operating

System, as the only feasible accessing device to this Information Technology Economic Market Place has been

the disenfranchisement of a large segement of the American Population towards entry into, and the benfits of

this Market Driven Economy. For the most part, this has its greatest effects at the lower end of the Economic

Spectrum in the lower income, and moderate to lower income wage sectors of the American Economy. This has in

effect, due to this Monopoly, catalyzed greater disparities in income distribuition, savings, disposable

income, and the accumulation and accruement of wealth into the hands of the top-teir of the wealthiest of

Americans. This problem dynamically proliferates itself, as the express intent of the Internet is to expedite,

and initiate a more dynamic high-speed development of capital transactions and the ability to engage in

commerce. The amazing effectiveness of the Internet has as a tangential effect catalyzed a proliferation of

negative aspects for the General Welfare of the American Public as a whole.

The MicroSoft Corporation, and Bill Gates, have in fact established a system, whereby access to The High Tech

Information Market Place of Commerce, Goods and Services, and Capitalism requires that they are payed a tax by

the American People desiring to utilize this Market Place. As it currently stands, it is nearly impossible to

find a computer operating system, or server that is accessible in the public and private realm that will

access this market place, without first having to access and utilize the Windows Operating System, and pay 'a

tax' to the MicroSoft Corporation acting as a quasi-governmental agency exercising full authority over the

Internet, and the right to engage in Commerce, and Capitalist functions therein.Mr. Gates, and the MicroSoft

Corporation's defense is, that you should not penalize sucess. I invented this system, therefore I am

justified in establishing an 'Operant Monopoly' thereto due to this.

Though this argument it sound, it lacks validity, cogency, and the the dictates of American Jurisprudence and

Common Sense. Utilizing this argument, it could be supposed, that the person who invented concrete should be

given a 'tax revenue" everytime a new road is paved, brige built, or driveway poured, or more than this every

time a road is utilized by a vehicle. As this metaphor applies to the Super-Highway of Commerce, imagine that

the company that invented concrete was allowed to tax every person who utilized the streets, roads, and

highways of the United States of America in both the private and public realms. The person that invented

concrete would have, in effect established a toll-booth at the end of every american driveway, established,

erected and protected by the American Government so that the inventor of Concrete would get their tax-money

for use of the streets, roads, and highways of the United States of America. More than this, every time

Public Transportation was utilized, the tax-money derived from the use of the streets,

roads, and highways

would not go to the local, state, or federal government, but to the inventor of concrete, collected for them

by the Government, at the expense of the tax-payer.

This is a clear and unambigious Constitutional Violation abrogating The Exclusive Taxation Powers of the

United States Congress provided for under Article I, Sectioin 8 of the Constitution of the United States of America.

The Consent Decree agreed to by the Justice Department of the United States of America, Forty One of the

States of the United States of America, and The MicroSoft Corporation provides no real remdy. Instead of

breaking up the "Operant Monopoly", and institution of 'illegal taxation' by the monopolist. the government

made a deal with the company to establish a 'bi-lateral operant monopoly' with the company that as it applies $\frac{1}{2}$

to our metaphor, makes the 'toll booths' at the end of driveways (The Sun Micorsystems Java systems). It is

proposed by the consent decree, that by dividing the 'Operant Monopoly,' and 'illegal tax money' with Sun

Micro Sytems (the toll-booth operators) that in effect this will serve as a Judicious Remedy of what should be

deemed as a monopoly over entrance to a market place in the Public Domain. This is a clear and convincing

violation of United States Title Code 15, Section 1, The Sherman Act, and though subtle, and implicit in

nature, a violation of United States Title Code 29, Sectioin 151, The Wagner-Connery Labor Relations Act.

The content, purview, and express intent of the Wagner-Connery Act generally provides for remedy of corporate

and lavor relations. However, as it concerns the omnipresent proliferation of the Internet and high-speed

communications as a requisite entry point for access to the Information Technology Market Place of Commerce

and Capitalism over the past teny years the Wagner-Connery Act is applicable. Invevitably, or unfortunately

ultimately invariably at the least, in this instance, access to the Information Super Highway, and the

Informatioin Technology Market Place of Commerce and Capitalism requires a financial transaction, apparent as

a 'quasi-governmental information technology tax' with the MicroSoft Corporation and the Corporate interests

of Bill Gates. In doing this, as the Information Technology Market Place of Commerce and Capitalism, is in

fact an artifice and institution of the Public Domain, the MicroSoft Corporation has enacted a "taxatioin

system", provided for by the Government, using tax-money to collect the tax revenue for a private institution.

As such, through this tax, The Micro-Soft Corporation, and Bill Gates has established

an employeer-employee relationship with not only his company and the Citizens of the United States of

relationship with not only his company and the Citizens of the United States of America, but The Citizens of

the World, desiring access to this Informatioin Technology Market Place of Commerce and Capitalism.

This Monopoly however is elusive, difficult to understand with respect towards current commercial codes, and

anti-trust standards, and therefore is difficult to prosecute with effectiveness, or offer equitable remedy

against, due to ignorance of how it is established, and the intracacies of Information Tehcnology Systems. Due

to this, this real, and established in fact 'Operant Monopoly', provided for by the Government, utilizing the

tax revenue of the American People as a means to exact the "tributes", "taxes", and

"fees" derived thereto

appears as a pernicious, and dangerous threat to the General Welfare of the American People. Its appearance,

manifestation, and proliferation threatens the economic viability of the United States Economy due to its

devastating potential to subordinate and disenfranchise a large segment of the America Public, and further

proliferate the gap between rich and poor in America.

The parens patriae relationship between the Microsoft Corporation and the American Public, as it is manifest as a employeer-employee relationship for all desiring access to the Information Technology Market Place of Commerce and Capitalism, pursuant to USC Title 29, Section 151, The Wagner-Connery

"(a) impair the efficency , safety, and operationa of the instrumentalities of commerce"

is in fact;

Act, does in fact;

"(b) occurring in the current of commerce"

does:

"(c) materially affect, restrain, and control the flow of raw materials and manufactured or processed goods from and into the channels of commerce, and the prices of such materials and goods in commerce"

and in fact;

"(d) causes the dimunition of employment and wages in such volume as substantially to impair or disrupt the market for goods flowing from or into the channels of commerce"

This is caused when the necessity of access to the Information Technology Market Place of Commerce in

Capitalism is in fact necessarily directed through, and provided for by the exclusive necessity to use the

Windows Operating system prior to entrance to this Public Domain and Venue. This principle and perspective

gains reinforcement through the application of the public-function test. As a result, a large segment of the

American Public, and in this case the World Population is disenfranchised from access to the Commerce and

Capitalist Marketplace by the artificial prices that are established by the Microsoft Corporation, and its

competitors in this sector concerning Information Tehcnology Systems, Equipment and Facilities necessary for

entrance into the Market itself. Allowances by other computer companies, and corporations operating in this

economic sector are intracted into the pricing of their commodities, goods, and services. As a result,

competitors, to maintain competitive profit margins, to keep up with MicroSoft as a viable invesment

opportunity, pad prices, artificially inflate costs to the consumer, and enhance dividends as a means to compete with Microsoft and its 'Operant Monopoly', and 'illegal taxation artifice'

established as a requirement for access to, and entrance towards engaging in Commerce and Capitalist

Activity in the Information Technology Market Place. This does in fact, disenfranchise a large

segment of the American Public and Citizens in Foreign Countries, and exacerbates not only wealty disparities on the personal and micro

levels, but undermines efforts by states, governments, and fledgling markets,

economies, and arbitrage systems from stabilization.

As this is the case, I offer that pursuant to United States Title Code 15, Section 8, and United States Title

Code 15, Section 11, established as a Constitutional Violation of Article I, Section 8 of the Constitution of

the United States of America, provided for under Article V of The Bill of Rights of the same, that the

Microsoft Corporation should be required to forfeit the license to the Windows Operating System to the United

States Government, and be subject to Treble Damages to the Fifty States of the United States Government. Due ${\sf States}$

Compensation, as required by law, should be offered in the amount of the Company's "real value" after such

legal taking, and Attorney's Fees, Damages, and Compensation have been paid by The Microsoft Corporation.

I look forward to hearing from your organization concerning this matter.

Very Truly Yours,

I remain,

Brett A. Rodman

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SEC,

My name is Brett Anthony Rodman, I run a small political and legal consulting entrepreneurial enterprise.

I am interested in the MicroSoft Case, but have little time to research the issue right now.

However, I have a "hunch" that I was hoping your agency and the cc: line addresses might be interested in undertaking dudilligence concerning its validity. For, if it is true it speaks to the business practices of MicroSoft, not only in the area of Information Tehcnology, but its investments in other areas of the economy. It concerns the "intellectual property rights" to offer an IPO, and garner 'venture capital' for the Construction of a Movie Studio in the State of South Carolina.

In February of 2000, I authored, and delivered a hand-written copy of a 30-year Economic Redevelopment plan for the State of South Carolina. The State of South Carolina acknowledged receipt of this plan, which included the construction of a 'movie studio' with Reference (a).

I contend for the record, that my former employeers, Practical Holdings Limited of 206 Sak's Fifth Avenue
Building, and Zebo's Restaraunt and Brewery of 275 King Street Charleston, SC did conspire, to defraud me of
the rights to this "intellectual property" through threats, intimidation, bribery, and eventually a 'murder
attempt' in front of St. Louis Cathedral in New Orleans, LA resulting thereof, for their own pecuniary, fiduciary, and economic benefit.

I originally made this contention, and my desire to see the matter investigated to the United States Secret
Service Field Office and Special Agent Kenny. At the time of the Field Interview,
Special Agent Kenny
mentioned that he did not feel that the American Government could investigate
pertinent to 10th and 11th
Amendment concerns. The same behavior that was exhibited in Charleston, SC, has now
continued through three
other state jurisdictions. The States of Texas, Missouri, Louisiana, and even to a
lesser degree the District
of Columbia.

Throughout the breadth of this three year hate crime, and I would contend human rights abuse i have kept the Federal Bureau of Investigation through e-mail, and the United States Secret Service through e-mail and interviews updated on the progress of these individuals and their criminal behavior. Unfortuantely, the co-conspirators at Zebo's Restaraunt and Brewery have extensive connections throught the nation's capital and getting any type of investigation initiated has been difficult. You can contact the Ned Twining, formerly one of the largest shareholders of Exxon Oil for details on the behavior of his investment

at Zebo's Restaraunt and Brewery.

This brings me to the possible involvment of the MicorSoft Corporation. As everyone in the financial world is

well aware, all corporations have people on the street, as information represents money. Microsoft obviously,

as they have more money have more people on the street. I contend for the record that the Co-conspirators to

defraud me of my property did in fact approach the Microsoft Corporation for Deveolpment money to investigate

the possiblity of the construction of a movie studio in South Carolina.

In fact, I conted for the record, that my employment by Debra Rosen, Tony Stroupe, and Mark Barhyte at

Practical Holdings Limited, and Zebo's Restaraunt and Brwery was nothing more than a dudilligence effort to

gather enough information to be able to commit identity fraud, so as to garner investment capital from sources

banking in the Bank of Japan Monetary System. I have made this contention, and sent documentation to the

Embassy of Japan, and the Consulate of Japan in Houston to enummerate these concerns.

Moreover, Practical Holdings Limited was wokring on a Interactive Museum Project with the Gates Foundation in

Charleston, SC. I contend that this is the point in time where, "money to be put on the street" was garnered

as, 'investigative capital' or plans 'formulation money. This money was then used to intimidate, bribe, buy

off justice officials and police officers, and eventually have me stabbed in the streets of New Orleans.

feel that if the MicroSoft Corporation offered money for this project, or funneled money to his people in the

street, through quasi-jobs (i.e. payments for doing nothing), Mr. Gates was aware of what the money was being

utilized for, approved of this, and in fact established a high tech concentration camp, a hate-crime, and a

human rights abuse for his own amusement. Of course assuming that he, as the richest man in the world could just buy the problem away later.

I do sincerely hope that you will look into this matter, and contact the aforementioned individuals.

As it is my contention that if Mr. Gates was involved he is subject to the provisions of USC Title 18 Section

96, and forfeitures contained therein, to the Treasury Department of the United States of America.

The international community and economic police agencies can contact any foreign students who attended the

College of Charleston from 1997 to 2000, to ask them what they might know about any of this. A good place to start with any dudilligence would be 139 Calhoun Street, the Trio Club.

In earnest,

I am,

Brett A. Rodman

By the way, one other person you can contact is Professor Bjerken of the College of Charelston Philosophy

Department. I took a Chinese and Japanese Religions Class from him. There was a girl (red head) named Katy

who sat next to me in class. One day she waked by me, and condesendingly muttered under her breath at me,

"your taking on Microsoft".

Apparently, MicroSoft has purchased the American Government and Legal System.

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